

B. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION – JULY 2021**SEMESTER – 4: SOCIOLOGY (CORE COURSE)****COURSE: 15U4CRSOC5: SOCIAL STRUCTURE AND CHANGE IN INDIA***(Common for Improvement 2018 admission / Supplementary 2018/2017/2016/2015 admissions)*

Time: Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART A (One word questions)**Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark.**

1. Caste groups practices marriages.
2. 'Dwijja' consists of.....
3. Give one feature of traditional joint family.
4. Dowry prohibition Act was passed in the year.....
5. In India, census began to be conducted by the British Indian government between.....
6. Who introduced the concept of westernization?
7. type of family is consisted of only one set of parents and their children.
8. Individuals marrying from outside the culturally defined groups are called.....
9. What is the Portuguese word for caste?
10. According to SC Dube, in Hindu social system is only a reference category, since it is not a functioning unit in social structure. (1 x 10 = 10)

PART B (Short answer Questions)**Answer any eight questions in not more than 50 words.****Each question carries 2 marks.**

11. Religion
12. Dharma
13. Fertility
14. Family
15. Sex ratio
16. Secularism
17. Dowry
18. Dominant caste
19. Democracy
20. Globalisation (2 x 8 = 16)

PART C (Short Essays)**Answer any five of the following questions in not more than 200 words each.****Each question carries 5 marks.**

21. Discuss pluralism of Indian Society.
22. Write a short note on the problem of divorce.
23. Discuss the marriage practices among the Muslim community.

24. Explain the theories of the origin of the Caste system.
25. Discuss the technological factors of social change.
26. Examine the demographic features of Indian society.
27. Explain the significant features of modernization. (5 x 5 = 25)

PART D

Answer any two of the following questions in 500 words each.

Each question carries 12 marks.

28. Critically evaluate the relevance of the processes – Sanskritization, Westernisation, Modernisation and Democratization in influencing social change in Indian society
29. Examine the changing functions and significance of caste system in India.
30. Discuss urbanisation and industrialization as economic processes bringing social change
31. Examine the impact of globalization and privatization in the Indian context. (12 x 2= 24)
